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Expedited Procedure
Examining Group: 1634
PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of : Gerhard HARTWICH
Serial no. : 10/089,141
Filed : with an effective filing date of September 1, 2001
For : METHOD FOR ELECTROCHEMICALLY
DETECTING SEQUENCE-SPECIFIC NUCLEIC
ACID-OLIGOMER HYBRIDISATION EVENTS
Group Art Unit : 1634
Examine : Arun K. Chakrabarti
Docket : PATKRI P03AUS

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The Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Dear Sir,

[XXX] NO FEES ARE PAYABLE WITH RESPECT TO THIS RESPONSE.

In response to the official action mailed April 15, 2003, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

in the Claims:

Please amend claim 68 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the amended claim into the record of this case.